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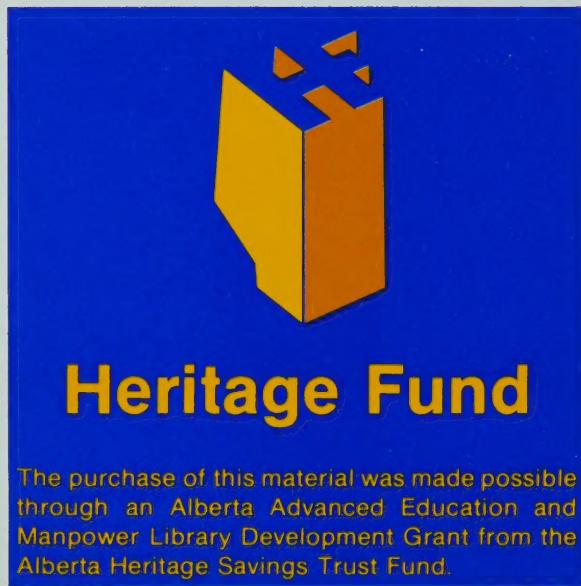
love + *able* = *lovable*
move + *able* = *movable*
consider + *able* = *considerable*



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Hi there! Welcome to Spellbinder F

What Is the Spellbinder?

Spellbinder is the place where you form a picture of each word in your mind and learn how to write it with your hand. When you've looked hard at a word, and said each letter to yourself, and practiced writing it enough times, you'll have a picture of the word in your mind and it will just flow right out of your pencil.

What To Do

First, test yourself. As your teacher reads the words, write them in the *Try Out* spaces.

After you find out which ones you misspelled, look them up in your **I Can Spell** book. Read what Superguesser and the Superspellers have to say—maybe they can help you.

Then turn to the *Practice Page* in your **Spellbinder** and write out the words you need to learn. Look, say, write.

Do the *Look and Learn* pages in your **Spellbinder**. They'll help you form a picture of the words in your mind.

Now your teacher will test you again. Write the words in the *Five ★ Test* spaces, and your score on the *★ Track* at the back of this **Spellbinder**.

Start Your Own Speller

Your **I Can Spell** program doesn't try to teach you all the words you'll ever write. It teaches only the words **most** people use **most** often. Start your own speller with a list of words that **you** like to use. Look at the *Start a List* sections in your **I Can Spell** book—they may help you to begin.

Spell It Right When You Write

While we're writing stories we're too excited to think about spelling. Think about it after the story is finished—before you let anyone else read it!



Try Out

Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. Changing Verbs to Nouns

Change these verbs to nouns by adding the suffix **-ion**.

act + ion = _____

react + ion = _____

attract + ion = _____

distract + ion = _____

subtract + ion = _____

contract + ion = _____

You have to drop the final **e** of some verbs before adding **-ion**.

Add **ion** to these verbs.

vacate

educate

situate

create

recreate

In the case of other verbs ending in **e** you have to drop the final **e** and add **-ation**.

examine

continue

determine

2. Words with or

Use the clues to help you to complete the **or** squares on the next page.

Clues

winner

6 is a _____ of 18

one who guides actors

in a play

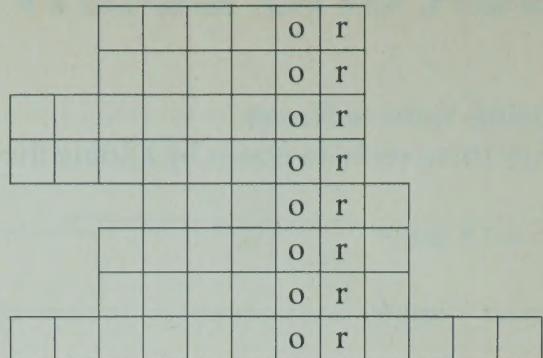
lives near

an unproven idea

a success

where things are made

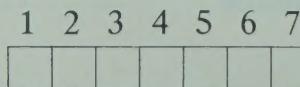
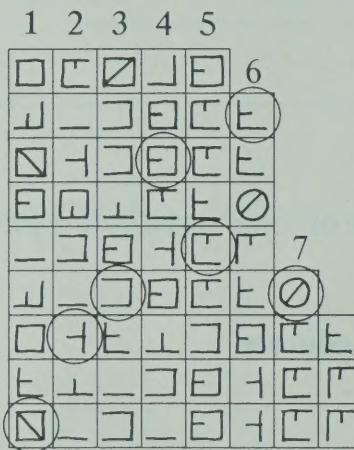
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**3. Can You Break the Code?**

You'll find the code on the left side of your page. Use it to spell out words from list F-1, then see if you can find the mystery word by decoding the symbols in the circles.

Code

a	—
b	—
c	—
d	—
e	—
f	—
g	—
h	—
i	—
j	—
k	—
l	—
m	—
n	—
o	—
p	—
q	—
r	—
s	—
t	—
u	—
v	—
w	—
x	—
y	—
z	—



The mystery word is _____.

4. Snappy Synonyms

Write the list word that is similar in meaning to:

surroundings _____ holiday _____

uncertainty _____ appeal _____

response _____ hypothesis _____

quiz _____

5. Using Affixes To Make New Words

Add these affixes to list words to make new words with the meaning indicated.

Affix	Meaning of New Word	New Word
suffix -ly	friendly	_____
suffix -ful	undecided	_____
prefix re-	testing again	_____
prefix in-	idleness	_____

6. Word Sorting

Write the list words that you think fit under these headings.

People	Where People Work or Live	School
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

5 ★ Test

Try Out

Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. Word Relationships

Write the correct list word in each blank.

Study is to **factory** as **studies** is to _____.

Relief is to **relieved** as **belief** is to _____.

Condition is to **conditional** as **tradition** is to _____.

How is to **however** as **what** is to _____.

2. Using Prefixes To Make Antonyms

Join lines between each of these prefixes and the correct list word to make the antonym of the list word. Write the antonym.

in- belief _____

non- behavior _____

dis- attention _____

mis- traditional _____

3. A Word Puzzle

Seven of the list words are hidden in this puzzle. One is hidden twice.

Some can be read from left to right and others can be read downwards.

When you find a word draw a line around it. As you find each word write it on one of the lines.

w	h	e	t	h	e	r
h	b	e	h	a	v	i
a	e	s	e	x	c	u
t	l	c	x			
e	i	r	c			i
v	e	i	u			e
e	v	s	s			n
r	e	t	e			c
i	d	s	t	u	d	i
						e
						s

4. An Interesting Word

Write the longest list word. _____

Check your dictionary to help you to use **kerchief** in a sentence.

Use **neckerchief** in a sentence.

Use **handkerchief** in a sentence.

What are the other words we use for

neckerchief _____

handkerchief _____

5. Word Structures

In each set of three words underline the word that is different in structure from the other two.

Write a reason for choosing that word.

science **attention** **condition**

whatever **however** **somewhere**

studies **beliefs** **factories**

sentenced **excuse** **believed**

5 ★ Test

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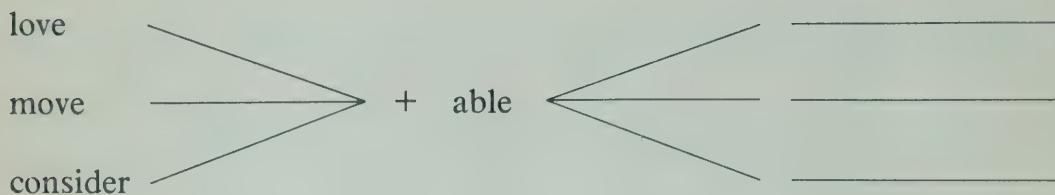
Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. Words Ending in -able

Add **-able** to these words.

Be careful with **love** and **move**.



Write the three list words ending in **-able**.

2. Words Ending in -ual

Write the words ending in **-ual** with these meanings.

happens every year ual

real ual

one person ual

related to the spirits ual

3. -ly At the Ends of Words

If the word ends in l simply add -ly to it. If the word ends in le change the e to y to get the -ly ending.

actual actually

annual _____

probable _____

 spiritually

 continually

capable _____

 considerably

4. Look at the Letters—Say the Words

Write resign. _____ Say it to yourself.

Write resignation. _____ Say it to yourself.

Write design. _____ Say it to yourself.

Write fight. _____ Say it to yourself.

Write fought. _____ Say it to yourself.

Write thought. _____ Say it to yourself.

Now complete this comparison:

Think is to thought as fight is to _____.

5. Make Your Own Puzzle

The puzzle has been started for you. See if you can put these words in it.

spiritual probable available resignation actually design
fought justice individual considerably



6. Small Change

Sometimes a small change in spelling may make a big change in meaning.
Change or drop only one or two letters of these words to make a list word.

provable _____

assign _____

factual _____

notice _____

bought _____

5 ★ Test

Try Out

Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. Making New Words

Write the past-tense form and noun form for these verbs.

	Past Tense	Noun
discover	_____	_____
combine	_____	_____
relate	_____	_____
educate	_____	_____

2. Present Tense and Past Tense

Write each of these words under the correct heading, then write the correct spelling of that word under the other heading.

argue distrusted value issued

Present Tense	Past Tense
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

3. A Word Puzzle

Use these clues to help you to solve this word puzzle.

Across

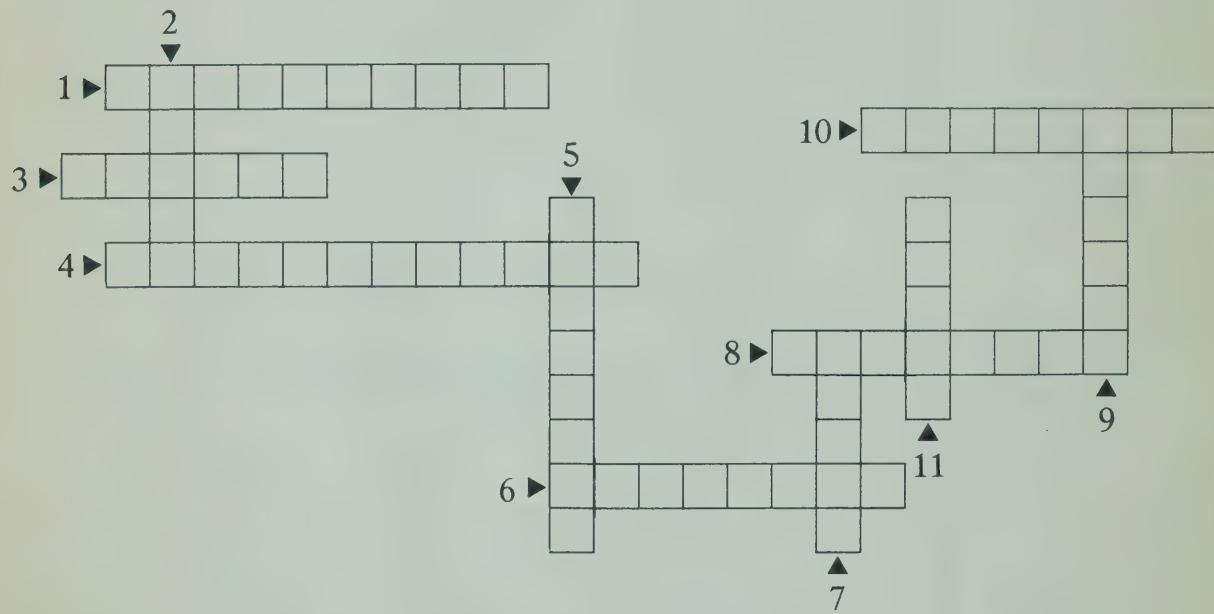
1. found
3. thin paper
4. a close connection
6. a herder of sheep
8. a relative
10. belonging to a country

Down

2. to send out
5. to suspect or doubt

Up

7. to disagree with
9. a country
11. price



4. A Mystery Code

Can you decode these two words? If you examine your list words carefully you'll be able to decode the first two words. One clue—the number 5 stands for the letter t.

	1	2	2	3	4
5	1	2	2	3	4

Now that you've had some practice, try to decode these other sets of words.

6	7	8	3	4
9	6	10	3	4
9	6	10	3	6

12	1	2	5	7	3	2	5		
12	1	2	13	14	9	4	7	4	12

5. Proofreading

Your writing is the real test of how well you spell. Try to form the habit of always proofreading anything you've written to correct spelling errors.

Fill in the blanks with list words but don't look at your list. When you have finished, check the spelling of the words with your list. If your spelling of any word is wrong, draw a line through it and put the correct spelling above it.

The thief could not open the safe because he didn't know the

— — — — — . The police regarded him with some

— — — — — because his alibi seemed doubtful. Some of the

— — — — — gems in the safe were diamonds and rubies.

The attempted crime was _____ when the burglar

alarm went off. The suspect didn't want to _ _ _ _ _ with

the police. He left that to his lawyer.

5 ★ Test

Try Out

Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. Word Building

Add one of these endings to the correct root word to make a list word.

-er -ion -ard -ern -ance -ion -ion

Root Word

List Word

assist

buy

stand

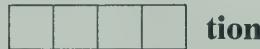
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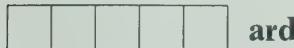
elect

2. Use these boxes to write three list words. One letter goes in each box.



Underline the parts of the words that are the same.

Use these boxes to write three list words. One letter goes in each box.



Underline the parts of the words that are the same.

3. An Antonym Word Puzzle

Think of the list word that is the antonym of each clue word. Then write the list word in the puzzle below. Do clue number 1 first.

Antonym Clues

1. residential

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2. hindrance



3. retreat



4. punish



5. seller



6. irregular



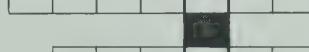
7. spiritual



8. southern



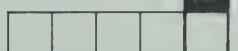
9. familiar



10. ignore



11. certainty



4. Double-Duty Words

Some of your list words can be used as either nouns or verbs.

Write the correct list word to make sense in each sentence, then state whether it is used as a noun or a verb.

Noun or Verb

1. My parents gave me an _____ on my allowance. _____
2. The cost of living _____ **d** two points last month. _____
3. Eve is held in high _____ by her friends. _____
4. The coach _____ **s** her as a good athlete. _____
5. Ellen was _____ **ed** for turning in the watch she found. _____
6. The _____ was five dollars. _____
7. The softball team has to _____ for new uniforms this year. _____
8. Last year's _____ was used for new equipment. _____

5 ★ Test

Try Out

Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. Words Ending in -al

Ottawa is the _____ city of Canada.

In British Columbia lumbering is the _____ industry.

When our dog was killed we had a _____ for him.

The leader of an army is called a _____.

Here are some new **-al** words. Write them in the correct space in each sentence below.

total central final signal

The referee blew his whistle to _____ an offside.

The defenceman had a _____ of ten minutes of penalties.

Seven-to-five was the _____ score, in our favor.

Tall office buildings darken the _____ part of our city.

2. Words within Words

Sometimes letters are added to a word to form a new word.

Write the list word formed by adding letters to **company**. _____

Underline **company** in the new word.

Write your own definition of this new word. _____

Write one dictionary meaning of **finite**.

Then write the two list words formed by adding letters to **finite** and underline **finite** in each of them.

Write the list word formed by adding letters to **press**. _____

Underline the list word in **principality**.

Write one dictionary meaning of **principality**. _____

Can you see the relationship between this word and the word **prince**?

3. Word Sorting

Write these words in pairs that you think make sense. Be prepared to give a reason for your pairing of the words.

insurance
freedom

captivity
campaign

general
company

4. A Synonym Word Puzzle

Think of the list word that is a synonym of each clue word. Then write that list word in the puzzle below. Write the word for clue number 1 first.

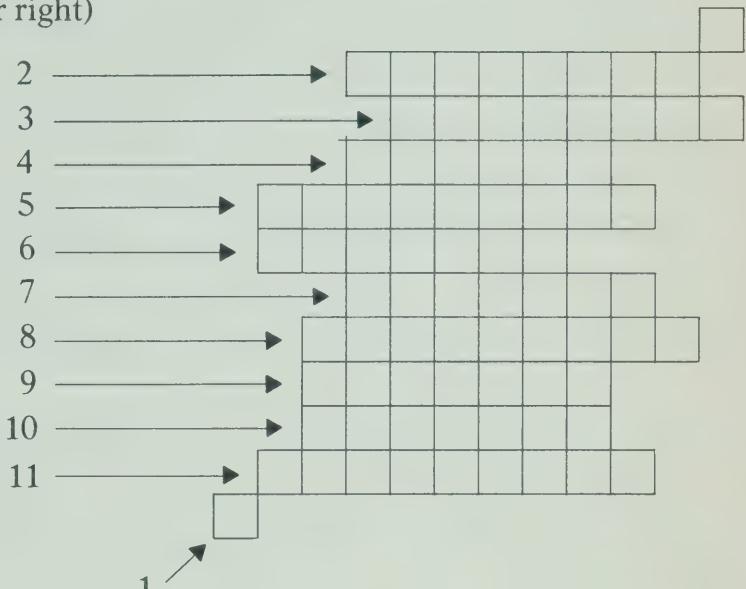
Clues

Diagonal (lower left to upper right)

1. escorting

Across

2. a political...
3. limitless
4. yellow
5. protection
6. burial
7. money
8. brief
9. corporation
10. seize
11. imprisonment



5. Word Meanings

Write a list word for each word or phrase in heavy type.

If Jitty enters her painting in the art show she will **surely** win a

prize. _____

We have launched a road-safety advertising **program** for

cyclists. _____

At night the star-studded sky seems **endless**. _____

The record business failed because the owner didn't have enough
financial backing. _____

Sancho's mother will be **going along with** the grass-hockey

team. _____

The police were able to **catch** the criminal. _____

5 ★ Test

Try Out

Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. Words Ending in -ment

Write list words ending in **-ment** and having these dictionary meanings.

Dictionary Meaning	List Word
act of developing	_____
a distinct part of an organization	_____
used in equipping	_____
system by which a state is ruled	_____
act of treating	_____

Here are some new words ending in **-ment**.

statement	placement
inducement	management

Write the correct word opposite each of these dictionary meanings.

the finding of work for a person	_____
a communication	_____
control, handling, direction	_____
something that influences or persuades	_____

2. The Suffix **-ous**

The suffix **-ous** changes nouns to adjectives.

Write **danger**. _____ Noun or adjective? _____

Write **dangerous**. _____ Noun or adjective? _____

Write **famous**. _____ Noun or adjective? _____

What noun is the root of **famous**? _____

Write **poisonous**. _____ Noun or adjective? _____

What noun is the root of **poisonous**? _____

Note that you sometimes have to modify the spelling of the root word before adding **-ous**. You may want to check some of the spellings in the dictionary.

Add **-ous** to these root words:

religion _____

ridicule _____

pore _____

venom _____

3. What's the Word?

You play a musical instrument in this. _____

Your best friends are not ordinary people. _____

It is an internal digestive organ. _____

A person in a novel is a _____. _____

A mayor is an _____. _____

4. Watch for ch Sounding like /k/

Write the three list words in which **ch** sounds like /k/.

Make the noun **character** into a verb by adding **-ize**. _____

Make the noun **character** into an adjective by adding **-istic**. _____

Make the noun **orchestra** into a verb by adding **-te**. _____

Make the noun **orchestra** into an adjective by adding **-l**. _____

Write these other words in which **ch** sounds like /k/.

chrome _____ chronic _____

ache _____ orchid _____

5. Use the boxes and the first letters given to help you write ten of your list words.

e				
t				
g				
d				
d				

ment
ment
ment
ment
ment

	f		
d			
p			

ous
ous
ous

	s		
o			

cial
cial

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Try Out

Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. Words Beginning with de-

Write the list words beginning with **de-**. Underline the parts that you think are hard to spell.

Write the **de-** list words that match each meaning below:

de _____ ask for with authority

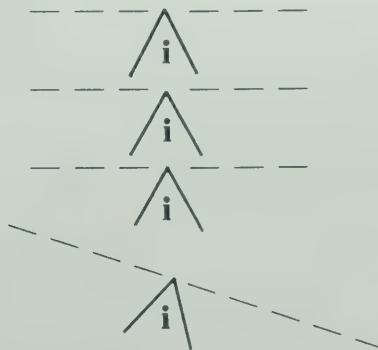
de _____ made a decision

de _____ government by the people

de _____ adjective form of **democracy**

2. The Big i

Fill in the letters on these balances with list words, then circle the **i** in each word and spell the words to yourself.



3. Word Relationships

Use list words related to the underlined word to complete each sentence.

An **anxious** person is full of _____.

Various colors means a _____ of colors.

In a **democracy** the form of government is _____.

If everyone is late **except** me I am an _____.

The persons elected to the government in Ottawa are **members** of _____.

Anyone who is open to **reason** is _____.

4. Newspaper Headlines

Which list word is each of these headlines about?

LANDS ON THE MOON _____

HEAT HITS HIGH _____

HOUSE OPENS IN OTTAWA _____

SENSIBLE SOLUTION FOUND _____

UNIONS PRESS REQUESTS _____

IMMIGRANT DECLARED SPECIAL CASE _____

5. A Word Puzzle

Eleven of your list words are hidden in this puzzle. One word has been hidden twice, once in an irregular way that has been marked for you. One of the other words has also been hidden in an irregular way. Find this word and draw a line around it. (The little arrows will help you.) Then draw lines around the other list words. Three common family pets are also hidden. Find them and draw lines around them too.

d	e	m	o	c	r	a	c	y	
e	x	t	r	e	m	e	a	b	
m	c	e	d	e	m	a	n	d	u
o	e	x	t	e	n	d	x	n	
c	p	c		a	n	x	i	e	n
r	t	e	s	o	c	i	e	t	y
a	i	p	c	a	t	e	t		d
t	o	t	v	a	r	i	y		o
i	n	m	e	m	b	e	r	s	g
c	a	s	t	r	o	n	a	u	t

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Try Out

Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. Words Beginning with ex-

Eight of your list words begin with **ex-**. Write these words and underline any parts you think are hard to spell.

Write two other words beginning with **ex-**.

2. Words Ending in -ar

Study these words ending in **-ar**. Underline the ones from your list.

solar polar regular popular angular nuclear muscular

Write the correct word in each blank.

a _____ bear

a _____ song

an _____ shape

a _____ wrestler

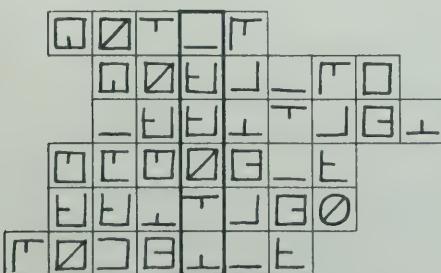
a _____ beat

_____ heat

_____ fission

3. A Coded Mystery Word

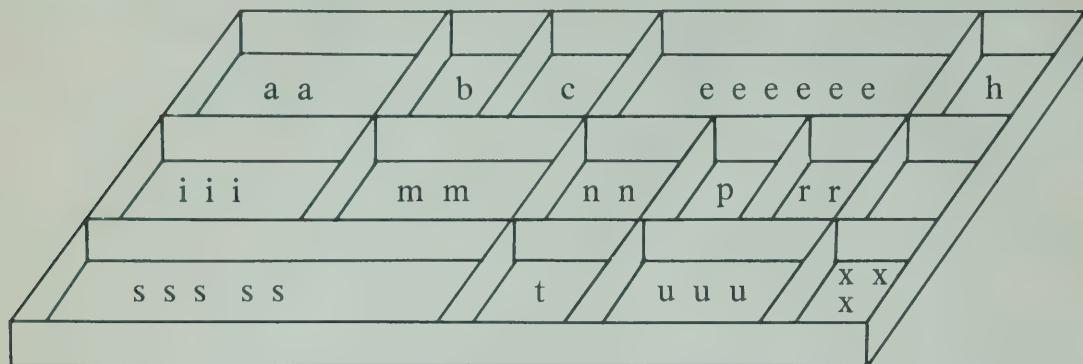
Use the code on page 8 to make six of your list words. Then decode the mystery word hidden in the box.



The mystery word is _____.

4. Setting Type

Use letters from this typesetting tray to make list words. Part of the type has been set for you. Underline the letters you find hard to remember in each word.



— — — — — d

a — — — —

h — — — —

— — — — — e n c e

— — — — — e n c e

e — — — — —

5. Proofreading

Fill in the blanks with list words but don't look at your list. When you have finished, check the spelling of the words with your list. If your spelling of any word is wrong, draw a line through it and put the right spelling above it.

The part of the earth near the north pole is called the _____ region.

The ringing of the bell was the signal for all students to _____ in the auditorium.

In science the class began to _____ with magnets.

History is the study of the _____ race.

When he didn't like what he heard Greg had an angry _____ on his face.

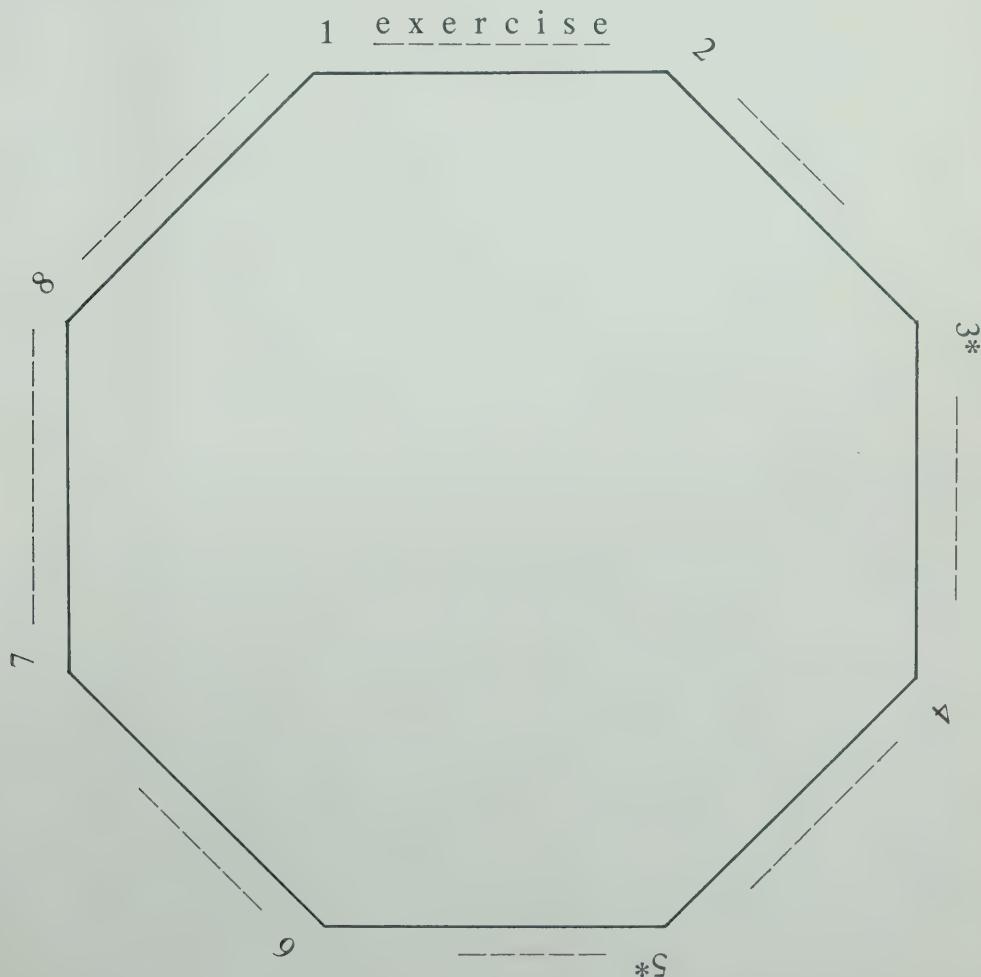
6. Follow the Leader

Here is a new game. We start with a word like **exercise**. The next word begins with the last letter of **exercise**. Each word begins with the last letter of the word coming before it. The last letter of the eighth word must be **e**, which is the first letter of **exercise**.

Clues are given to help you to spell each word. Words marked with an * are not on your list.

Clues

1. physical training; a workout
2. to have life
3. *from one end to the other
4. a married man
5. *a play
6. to take for granted
7. something that has happened to you
8. continued living



5 ★ Test

Try Out

Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. A Challenging Word Puzzle

Draw lines around as many words as you can in this puzzle. Ten list words are hidden in it, five of them appear only once, four are there twice and one three times. Altogether fifteen words can be read from left to right, five from top to bottom and five diagonally from left to right. When you've discovered the list words look for these other words: **idea, oar, oil, noon, box** and **normal** can be read from left to right, **crane** can be read downwards, **loon** and **pipe** can be read diagonally from left to right. Good hunting!

i	d	e	a	q	u	a	l	i	t	y
m	i	n	o	r	i	t	y	x	t	z
p	o	s	s	i	b	i	l	i	t	y
o	p	p	o	r	t	u	n	i	t	y
s	u	n	i	t	y	u	n	i	t	q
s	n	u	n	i	t	n	x	i	c	u
i	i	o	a	r	o	i	r	z	r	a
b	o	x	o	i	n	o	r	m	a	l
l	n	p	n	z	n	n	o	o	n	i
e	p	u	n	i	v	e	r	s	e	t
o	i	l	m	a	j	o	r	i	t	y

2. A Syllable Game

Here are eighteen syllables in alphabetical order:

ble, ca, cil, fa, i, i, im, jor, ma, pac, pos, re, si, sponse, ty, ty, ty.

Use each syllable only once. The clues will help you spell out words from list F-10. The number following each clue tells you the number of syllables in the word you are spelling. Cross out each syllable as you use it.

When asked if she wanted to swim, Monique nodded her head in (2)

— — — — — — — .

The vote passed with a large (4) — — — — — — — .

The gas tank had a (4) — — — — — — — of 15 L.

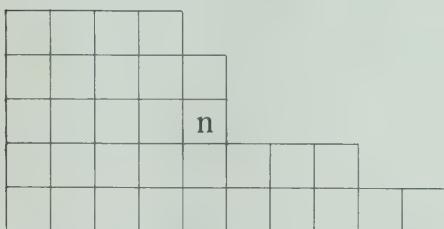
She performed the figure 8 on her skates with the greatest (4)

— — — — .

It was once thought (4) — — — — — — — — for a man to reach the moon.

3. **Words Beginning with un-**

Write the list words beginning with **un-** that fit correctly in the spaces.



4. **Words Ending in -ity**

Write the list words ending in **-ity**.

Make new **-ity** words out of these words.

impossible _____

sensible _____

credible _____

visible _____

5 ★ Test

Try Out

Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. Words with -ture Endings

Write the list words that mean:

a building  _____ ture

the way of life of a people _____ ture

the best writings of a people  _____ ture

Using these clues, write some new words ending in **-ture**.

hung on a wall _____

newspaper cartoon that shows people
in an exaggerated manner _____

leaving _____

2. The Noun Forms of Adjectives Ending in -al

From which nouns were these adjectives made?

historical _____

geographical _____

cultural _____

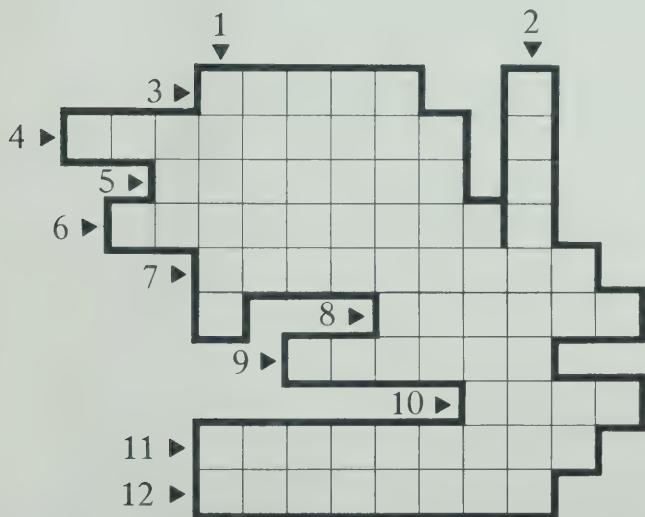
structural _____

chemical _____

3. An Ideograph Word Puzzle

Use these clues to help you to put the correct letters in this puzzle.

1. a track for racing
2. Shakespeare's plays
3. Tennis is played on this.
4. The word to fill in is **ideograph**—a form of writing that represents a thing or idea directly.
5. a colony of specially grown bacteria
6. something built or put together
7. keeps minutes of a meeting
8. to take the offensive
9. to receive
10. the group of citizens hearing evidence in court
11. study of the elements
12. a system of speech



4. Apt Antonyms

Write list words that are opposite in meaning to these words.

oppose _____

retreat _____

ignorance _____

5. Short Synonyms

Write list words that are similar in meaning to these words or phrases.

yard _____

series of lessons _____

surface features of a region _____

try _____

attempt _____

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Try Out

Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. Words with Double Letters

ss

pp

cc

rr

Choose the right double letters to spell a list word.

- | | |
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2. A Word Puzzle

Twelve of your list words are hidden in this puzzle. Four have been hidden twice and two of them three times. Draw lines around the words as you recognize them.

r	o	a	t	a	a	p	p	e	a	l
a	o	o	a	p	p	e	a	l	l	p
p	c	c	a	p	p	a	r	e	n	t
o	c	c	u	r	r	e	d	x	t	r
l	u	u	p	o	o	c	c	u	r	a
i	r	r	p	p	x	r	a	a	a	n
c	o	r	p	r	i	r	p	s	n	s
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o	r	e	c	e	e	l	e	i	r	e
c	r	v	i	o	l	i	n	a	e	n
c	e	r	e	s	y	c	t	t	n	t
u	d	r	s	s	t	y	t	e	t	p
r	o	c	c	u	r	r	e	d	s	s

3. Solving a Mystery Code

Can you decode these two words? If you examine your list words carefully you'll be able to decode the first two words.

1	2	2	3	4

1	2	2	3	4	4	5	6

Now that you've decoded these words, try to decode each of the following word pairs.

7	8	8	5	7	9

7	8	8	7	4	5	10	11

8	1	9	12	2	13

8	1	9	12	2	12	5	14

7	14	14	1	2	12	7	11	5	6

7	14	14	1	2	12	7	11	12	1	10

Now try to decode these single words.

7	8	8	4	1	8	4	12	7	11	5

7	8	8	1	12	10	11	15	5	10	11

4. Working with Words

Here are some list words:

appropriately occurred policy appeal occur
policies appropriate transparent disappointment

Write the one that can be used either as a noun or a verb _____

the one that is an adverb _____

the adjective this adverb was formed from _____

the verb that is in the past form _____

the present form of that verb _____

the noun that is in the plural form _____

the singular form of this noun _____

the adjective with the prefix meaning **across** or **beyond** _____

the word whose synonym is **failure** or **defeat** _____

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Try Out

Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. Words with ious

Choose list words with the **-ious** pattern to fill in the blanks.

Tanya came in first so she _____ won the race.

Tom had won the race every time it was _____ run.

Thérèse goes to church because she is a _____ person.

The judge is so _____ he never laughs.

At the zoo there are animals of _____ kinds and sizes.

2. Words with ar

Write these words.

similar regular

similarly regularly

similarity regularity

particular particularly particularity

Underline the part of each word that is spelled the same.

3. Word Relationships

Obvious is to **obviously** as **previous** is to _____.

Regular is to _____ as **particular** is to **particularly**.

Obviously is to _____ as _____ is to **serious**.

Seriously is to _____ as _____ is to **religious**.

Supply is to _____ as _____ is to **applied**.

4. Short Synonyms

Write the list word that could be substituted for each word in heavy type.

Each of the three good friends had a different **faith**. _____

A desert is a **place** where little or no rain falls. _____

For art class each student had to **provide** his own brushes and
paint. _____

Cecile decided to **ask** for a job delivering newspapers. _____

5. New Words from Root Words

Write the list word(s) that comes from each of these roots.

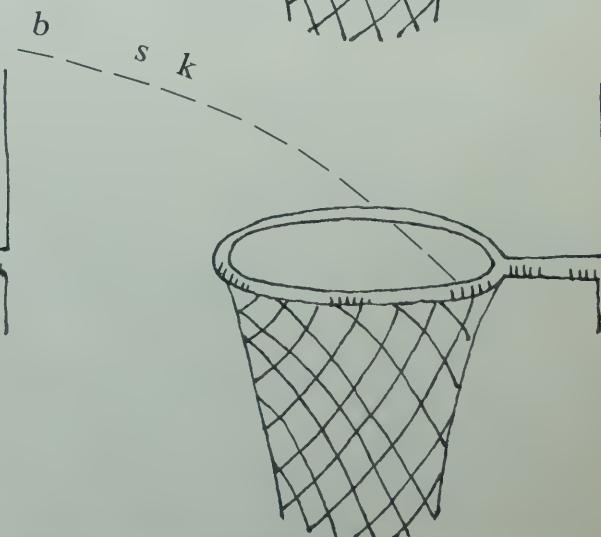
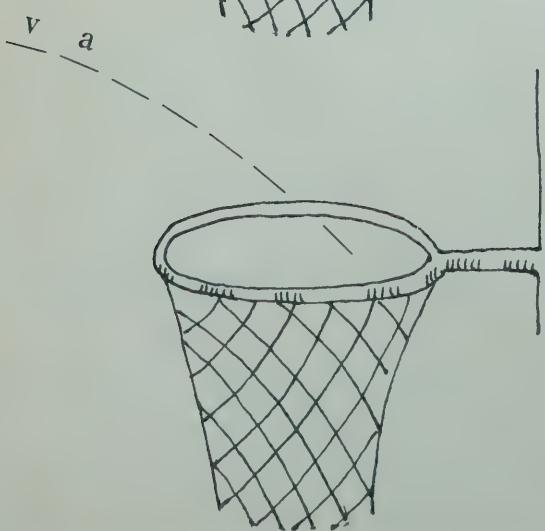
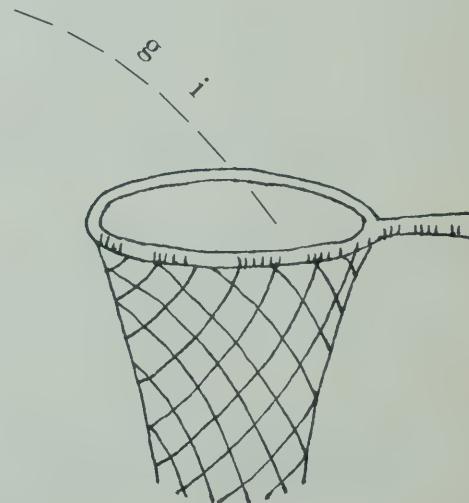
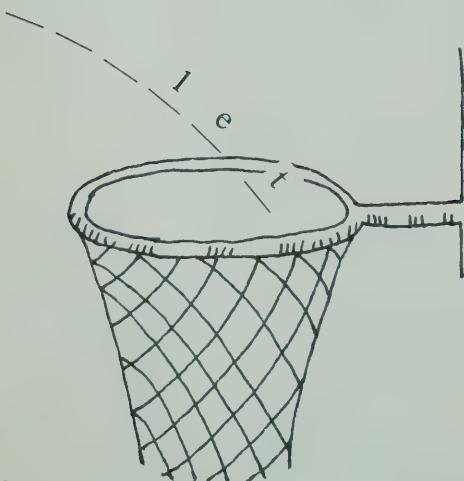
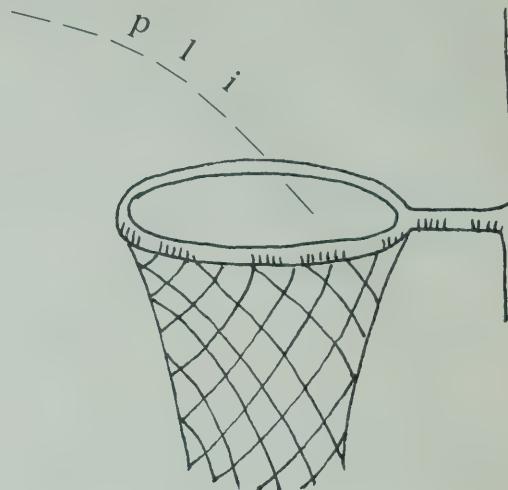
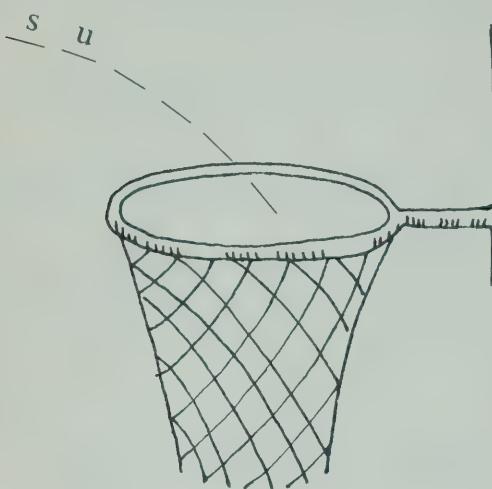
vary _____ obvious _____

previous _____ religion _____

apply _____

6. Spelling Basketball

In this game each word you finish spelling correctly counts as one basket. Some parts of each word have been supplied for you. Try to finish them without looking at your list.



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Try Out

Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. Words Ending in -ion

Follow the pattern of adding the **-ion** ending.

operate **operation**

communicate _____

locate _____

populate _____

regulate _____

2. Words Ending in -er and -erence

Study these words: **refer**, **prefer**, **confer**, **conference**, **reference**, **preference**.

Write each word so that it makes sense in one of these sentences.

Which do you _____, tea or coffee?

He made a quick _____ to what had happened before.

The teachers will have a short _____ in the staff room.

Please _____ to the dictionary.

My _____ is milk rather than tea.

The two referees decided to _____ with each other about the goal.

3. Word Relationships

Use a list word to complete these synonym word-relationships.

False is to **untrue** as **well-known** is to _____.

Pleasant is to **enjoyable** as **desolate** is to _____.

Tiny is to **small** as **strange** is to _____.

Complete is to **finish** as **notice** is to _____.

Here are some opposites.

Poor is to **wealthy** as **unwanted** is to _____.

Winter is to **summer** as **spring** is to _____.

4. Using Suffixes to Make New Words

Write the adjectives **peculiar** and **familiar**.

Change them to adverbs by adding the suffix **-ly**.

Change them to nouns by adding the suffix **-ity**.

Write the verb **recognize**. _____

Change this verb to an adjective by adding the suffix **-able**, first dropping the final **e**. _____

5. Job Descriptions

Use list words to complete the blanks.

A columnist writes a newspaper _____.

People meet to confer at a _____.

Disc jockeys are in the business of _____.

A person who prefers to walk rather than ride has a _____ for walking.

A machinist is a person who knows how to _____ a machine, or is skilled in its _____.

To find the answer to a problem we refer to a _____ book.

6. Latin Roots

Many English words have been derived from Latin words. Which of your list words do you think came from these Latin words?

familiaris (belonging to a household) _____

operatus (having done work) _____

locatus (placed) _____

populatus (inhabited) _____

autumnus _____

columna (post or pillar) _____

7. A Word Puzzle with Two Mystery Words

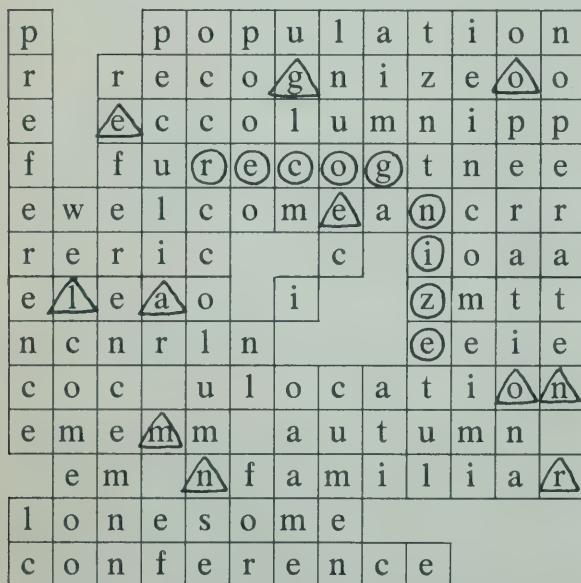
All of the list words can be found in this puzzle, three of them twice. One of the list words that appears twice can be found by reading the letters in the circles.

Write the word here. _____

Two mystery words are citrus fruits with their letters in triangles.

Draw lines around the list words and write the two mystery words here.

Some clues—one word is spelled diagonally from lower left to upper right; all the others are spelled from left to right or downwards.



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Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. Words at Work

Each of the following words is in the verb form. Write each word and its noun form.

Verb Form	Noun Form
celebrate	_____
appreciate	_____
germinate	_____
create	_____
indicate	_____
observe	_____

Not all verbs in the list form the noun spelling in the same way. Complete the following pairings:

Verb Form

describe

Noun Form

involvement

prescribe

imagination

Note that the verb **deserve** has no noun form and **despite** is already a noun (or it may be used as a preposition). **Estimate** may be a verb or a noun. Write these three words.

2. Some Short Synonyms

Write the list word that is the synonym for each of these words:

report (noun) _____

picture (noun) _____

calculate (verb) _____

inventiveness (noun) _____

included (verb) _____

grow (verb) _____

produced (verb) _____

pointed out (verb) _____

3. Proofreading

Without looking at your list write the list word you think should go in each of these sentences. When you have finished, check the spelling of the words with your list. If your spelling of any word is wrong, draw a line through it and put the correct spelling above it.

The doctor gave me a _____ to take to the druggist.

John scored two goals _____ his injured leg.

If our team wins the championship, we'll all help them

to _____.

We always _____ a pleasant surprise.

Joey won a big stuffed panda bear because the man

couldn't _____ his mass in kg correctly.

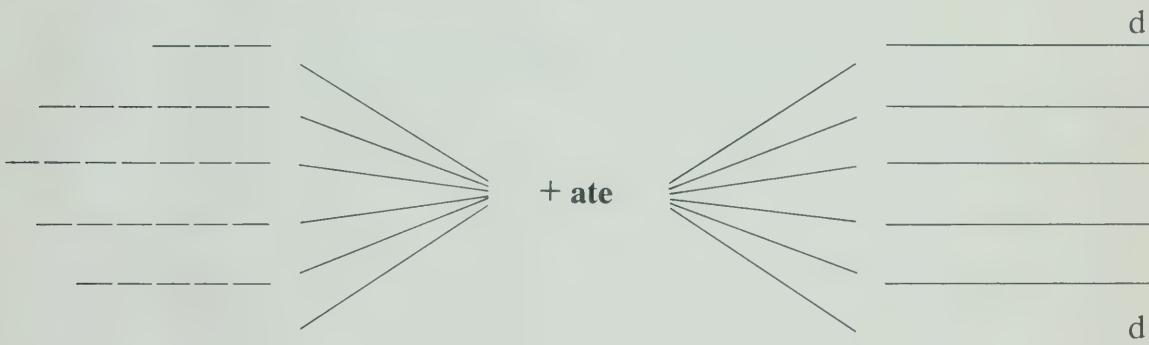
The big bird we _____ through the binoculars was a bald eagle.

The Canadian girls' swim team won a well- _____ victory in the relays.

I know that any medicine my doctor will _____ will taste bitter.

4. An ate Puzzle

On the left write the letters that go with **ate** to make list words. Write the list words on the right.



5. Some New ate Words

What **ate** words are suggested by **invest-** _____,

by **concen-** _____, by **regu-** _____,

by **vac-** _____?

6. Word Relationships

Use list words to complete these word relationships.

describe is to **description** as _____ is to **prescription**

preserve is to **preserved** as **deserve** is to _____

revolve is to **revolved** as **involve** is to _____

These two are not from your list.

conserve is to _____ as **observe** is to **observation**

inscribe is to _____ as **describe** is to **description**

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Try Out

Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. The **cei** Pattern

Put the right list word in these sentences.

The store will **cei** your payment soon.

You should get a **cei** when you pay your bill.

Our school band has been **cei** many requests to play marching songs.

Write new **cei** words in these sentences.

Greg lifted the telephone _____ off the hook to stop the phone from ringing.

He deliberately told us a lie just to _____ us.

Be careful or you'll hit your head on the low _____ in that room.

John was so _____ that he looked at his reflection in every store window.

2. Apt Antonyms

Write list words that mean the opposite of:

private _____ **easy** _____

helpless _____ **give** _____

unnecessary _____ **calm** _____

3. A Word Puzzle

In this puzzle all the words except one are from list F-16.

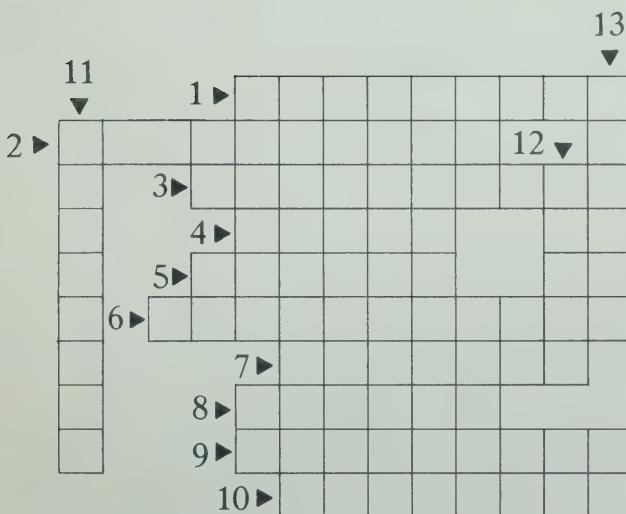
Clues

Across

1. Gas and oil are natural _____.
 2. accepting
 3. the art and science of government
 4. sudden fright
 5. a group of teams playing together in sport
 6. an instrument for talking at a distance
 7. people in general
 8. nevertheless
 9. not easy
 10. written acknowledgement of something received

Down

11. the football player who catches a ball passed to him
 12. essential
 13. where a river begins



4. **The Difficult Ones**

Write the list words that have these difficult patterns.

The final /k/ sound is spelled with **c**.

Four letters represent the long **o** sound.

After **c**, **i** follows **e**.

The letters **our** have the sound of **or** as in **fort**.

ph = /f/

It has a silent letter in the middle and two at the end.

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Look and Learn

1. The Difficult Ones

Write each of these difficult words twice and underline any parts you have trouble spelling.

procedure _____

necessary _____

per cent _____

Write three other words you think are difficult to spell and underline the hard parts.

2. The Two Sounds of c

The letter **c** may have the /k/ or the /s/ sound. It has the /s/ sound when it is followed by **e** or **i** or **y**. Write the list words where **c** has the /s/ sound. In **scientific** the letters **sc** together have the /s/ sound.

Write the list words where the final **c** has a /k/ sound.

3. The Negative Prefix un-

Add the prefix **un-** to each of the following list words. Then write the meaning of each new word.

-un + List Word**New Word****Meaning**

un + necessary = _____ = not _____

un + scientific = _____ = not _____

un + economic = _____ = not _____

4. Word Relationships

Use list words to complete these word relationships.

illustrate is to **illustration** as **complete** is to _____

magnet is to **magnetic** as **science** is to _____

lion is to **wild** as **dog** is to _____

butcher is to **meat market** as **grocer** is to _____ **store**

letters are to **correspondence** as **facts** are to _____

5. A Synonym Word Puzzle

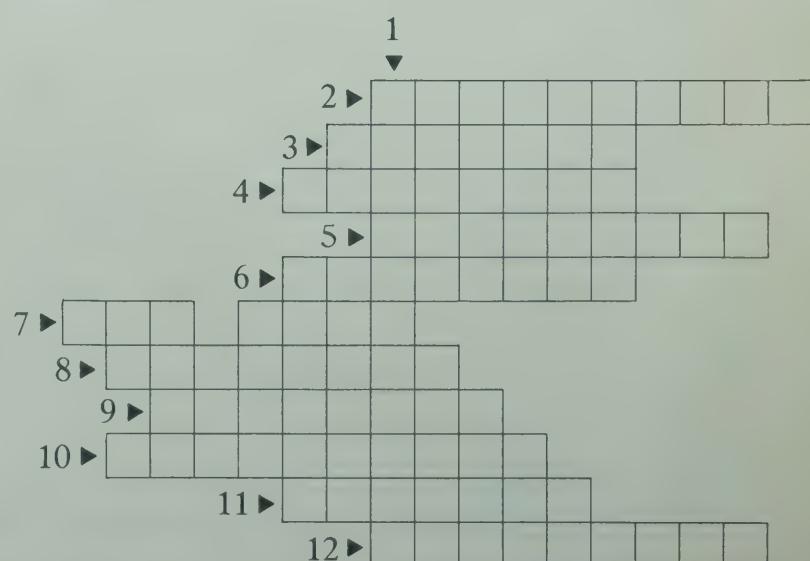
Use these synonym clues to help you to solve this word puzzle. All the words are list words.

Clues**Down**

1. contest

Across

2. finish
3. worry
4. tame
5. method
6. definite
7. hundredths
8. thrifty
9. staged
10. used in science
11. procedure
12. needed



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Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. Words at Work

Write the -ing and the past tense forms of the verb **manufacture**.

Write the present and past tense verb forms of these nouns.

Noun	Verb Form Present Tense	Verb Form Past Tense
contraction	_____	_____
protestation	_____	_____

Write the present tense verb forms of these words, which can be used as either nouns or verbs.

Noun/Verb	Verb Form Present Tense	Verb Form Past Tense
contest	_____	_____
protest	_____	_____
contact	_____	_____
question	_____	_____
function	_____	_____
position	_____	_____

Your list contains the noun forms of these adjectives. Write the noun form.

emotional _____

functional _____

questionable _____

objective _____

productive _____

2. Words That Name People

Use list words that complete these sentences and that define the underlined words.

A **contestant** is a person who is in a _____.

A **contractor** may be one who has a _____ to build a home.

A **questioner** is a person who asks a _____.

A **protester** is a person who joins in a _____.

3. Some Short Synonyms

Write the list word that is the synonym for each of these words.

collision _____ touch _____

share _____ job _____

results _____ purposes _____

complain _____ competition _____

hated _____ making _____

university _____

4. Words with the test and act Patterns

Write the three list words ending in **act**.

Write two new words that begin with **act**.

Write the three **test** words in your list.

5. Your Dictionary Will Help You Here

-cide at the end of a word sometimes means **killing of**.

A poison that kills **insects** is an _____.

A spray that kills plants (**herbs**) is a _____.

A solution that kills a **fungus** is a _____.

A murder or killing of a man (**homo**) is called _____.

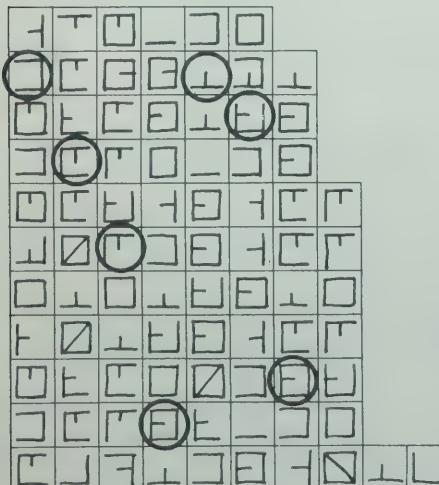
6. Can You Find the Coded Mystery Word?

Use the code on page 8 to help you to spell each of these coded list words.

Then combine each of the circled coded letters to spell out the mystery word.

The numbers show you the order of the letters in the mystery word.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7



1 2 3 4 5 6 7

The mystery word is

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Look and Learn

1. Words at Work

-ive is a common adjective suffix. Write the two **adjectives** in your list with the -ive suffix.

Write the three nouns ending in y.

Write the plurals of these words.

What is the rule for forming the plurals of such words? _____

In your list three nouns have been formed by adding the suffix **-ment** to a verb. To see how this works, fill in the blanks.

verb + **ment** = **noun**

agree + **ment** = _____

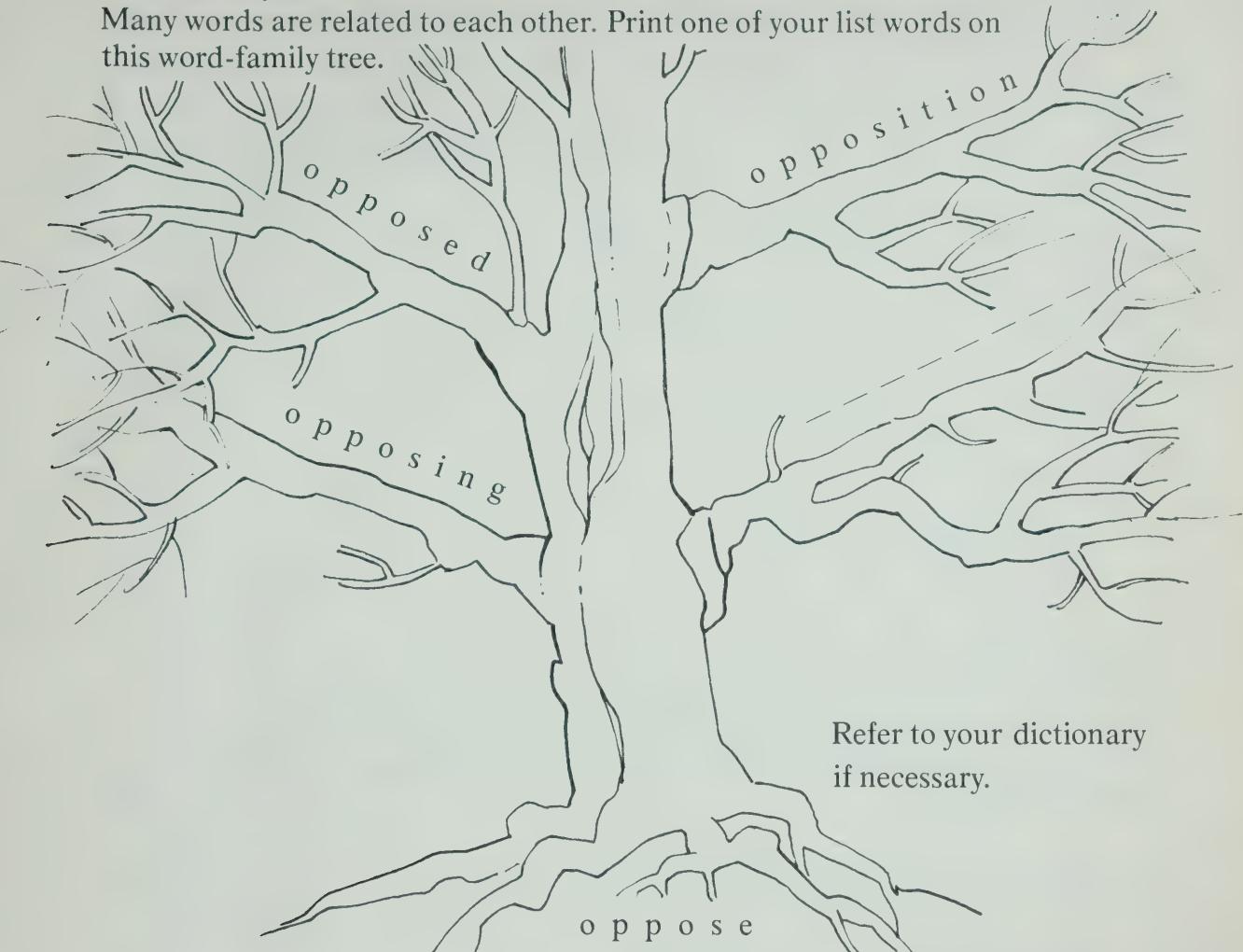
assign + **ment** = _____

achieve + **ment** = _____

Write the **-ment** noun that is not formed from a verb. _____

2. Word-Family Trees

Many words are related to each other. Print one of your list words on this word-family tree.



Complete this table using the forms indicated. Remember that the final silent **e** is dropped before endings beginning with a vowel.

-ing Verb Form

-ed Verb Form

Other Forms

agreement	_____	_____	_____ able
achievement	_____	_____	_____ able
economy	_____	_____	al
reduce	_____	_____	tion
produce	_____	_____	tion
reproduce	_____	_____	tion

3. Meanings in Brief

Write the list word for each of these shortened dictionary definitions.

list of topics _____

contrary _____

instant _____

task; project _____

duplicate (verb) _____

make smaller _____

an understanding _____

4. Proofreading

Fill in the blanks with list words but don't look at your list. When you have finished, check the spelling of the words with your list. If your spelling of any word is wrong, draw a line through it and write the correct spelling above it.

Because he was born in that village he is regarded as

one of the _____ of the place.

Melany is so obstinate that she walked on the _____ side of the street and away from everyone else.

The quickest way to find a subject in a book is to use the _____.

The bank teller was able to make a _____ identification of the suspected robber.

Farms with fertile soil _____ large crops.

The police dog uses his keen _____ of smell to track down lost children.

5. Word Weaving

You can weave words together just as cloth is woven. Try weaving these words. Use only list words. The clues are the same across as down.

Clues

1. sight; smell; hearing; touching; tasting
2. opposite of negative
3. make smaller

	1 ▼	—	2 ▼	
	—	—	—	
	—	—	—	
1 ►	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—
2 ►	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—
3 ►	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—

Clues

1. first finger; pointer
2. a contract
3. easily hurt

	2 ▼	—	3 ▼	
	—	—	—	
	—	—	—	
1 ►	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—
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	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—
3 ►	—	—	—	—
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Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. Words at Work—the Puzzling Plurals

List F-20 has examples of most ways of forming plurals of nouns.

Write the singular and plural forms of eight list words whose plurals are formed by adding **-s**.

Singular Form

Plural Form

Write the two plural forms of formula. _____

Two plurals are formed by changing **y** to **i** and adding **-es**.

Singular Form

Plural Form

Then there is one noun in the list that is usually used in the plural only. Write this word. d _____

A puzzling word is **statistics**. The singular is **statistic** but the plural form is usually used.

Most puzzling of all is the word **series**. Write it here. _____ But don't try to write the singular form. There is no singular form.

2. Double Duty Words

Three list words do double duty. Use them to complete these sentences.

A visitor to the Prime Minister usually _____ him

with _____.

When you _____ the top team in the league with the bottom you

see a marked _____.

A hundredth of a second is a _____ part of a _____.

3. Word Sorting

Write five list words that may be associated with mathematics.

4. Word Weaving

Just so you won't forget how to weave words, here are two more word-weaving puzzles.

Clues: Down and Across

1. immense
2. collection of facts and figures
3. distinctive qualities

3
▼

2
▼

1
▼

1 ►

2 ►

3 ►

Clues: Down and Across

1. a number of TV programs
 2. awarded
 3. chosen
 4. information

1
▼

2
▼

1 

3

2

4

3 ▶

4 ►

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Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. Word-Family Trees

The blank in the first of each set of sentences below can be filled in with a list word. The blanks in the rest of the sentences should be filled in with words related to this list word.

Next year I'll take a typing course at the school of _____ (trade).

The announcer read a _____ (relating to trade) for blue jeans.

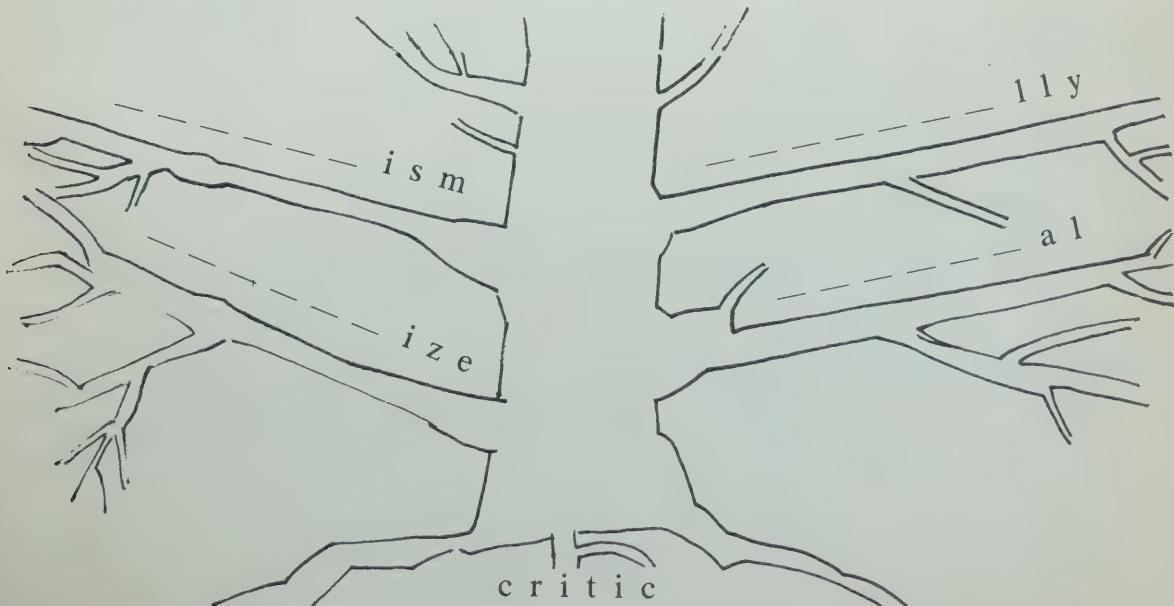
Some people think Christmas is treated in too _____ a manner.

The world _____ (meteorological conditions) seems to be changing.

It takes time to become _____ (used to a new climate).

-logy at the end of a word means “the science of.” The scientific study of climate is called _____.

Use your dictionary to help you to print a word-family tree for **critic**. Circle the list word on the tree.



2. Roots

Write the list word (or words) with the same root as each of these words.

politics _____

privacy _____

technology _____

senator _____

ministry _____

politician _____

3. Apt Antonyms

Write a list word that is the antonym of each of these words.

public _____ **nowhere** _____

temporary _____ **uncritical** _____

4. Some Short Synonyms

Write a list word that is a synonym for each of these words.

society _____

in addition _____

but; still _____

surroundings _____

so _____

member of the clergy _____

5. Word Sorting

Write three list words that could be related to government.

Write the three list words that are used to join or relate ideas in sentences.

6. Mystery-Word Puzzle

Use only words from your list.

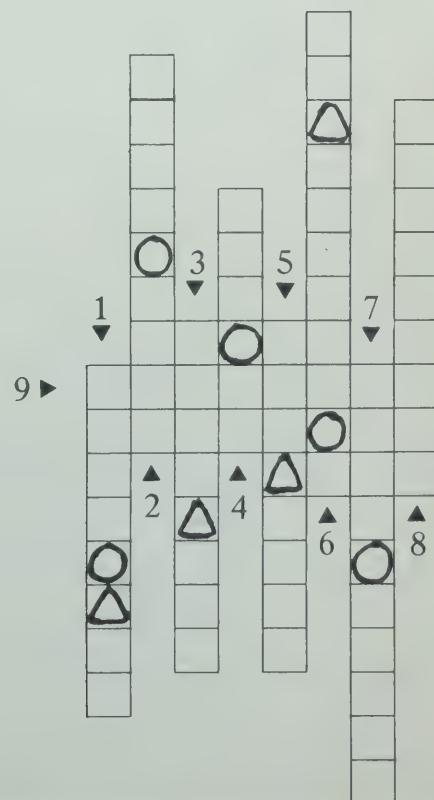
Clues

1. in charge of a government department
2. form of government in Russia
3. finding fault
4. part of the government of Canada
5. business
6. surroundings
7. in all places
8. lasting a long time
9. What is the mystery word in 9 across? _____

Find the mystery word

in the circles _____

and in the triangles _____.



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Look and Learn

1. Words at Work

In these phrases write the correct list words with the adjective suffix **-al**.

the _____ government at Ottawa

the _____ lottery

an _____ painting

an _____ moment at the family reunion

the _____ border between Canada and the United States

Write the four list words with the noun suffix **-tion**.

Write the verb form of **consumer** in the blank in this sentence.

Allison _____ the most pancakes at breakfast.

2. Use Your Dictionary

Use your dictionary to find:

at least two words that are derived from the same root as the list word **federal**.

at least two words that are derived from the same root as the list word **resolution**.

at least three words that are derived from the same root as the list word **original**.

Use your dictionary to help you to complete the following table.

Noun form	Verb form	Adjective form	Adverb form
origin	originate	_____	originally
	resolve	_____	resolvedly
	federate	_____	federally

3. Proofreading

Fill in the blanks with list words but don't look at your list. When you have finished, check the spelling of the words with your list. If your spelling of any word is wrong, draw a line through it and put the correct spelling above it.

If you have the right answer to a problem you will have its _____.

The Indians were the _____ inhabitants of much of North America.

Try not to be too _____ when you say good-bye.

Cars and factories cause a great deal of air _____.

Each province of Canada has its own _____ capital.

In Canada the post office is run by the _____ government.

Are you going to make a New Year's _____?

In 1896 the first truly _____ Olympics were held in Athens.

Everyone is entitled to his own _____ on the matter.

Canadians pay more than a _____ dollars in taxes each year.

4. Word Relations

A list word is started on the left. A word related to it is on the right.
Spell out the rest of each list word.

c _ _ _ _ _

profession

c _ _ _ _ _ _ _

user

c _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _

rules

p _ _ _ _ _

time

p _ _ _ _ _ _ _

uncleanliness

p _ _ _ _ _ _ _

regional

e _ _ _ _ _ _

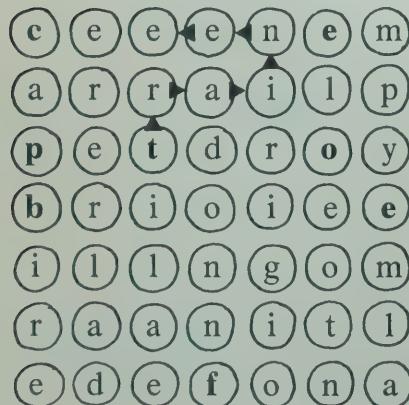
worker

e _ _ _ _ _ _

sentimental

5. A Keyboard Puzzle

All the letters needed to write the list words **career**, **trainee**, **period**, **employee**, **billion**, **emotional**, **original** and **federal** are on the keyboard below. The first letter of each word is in heavy type. Draw arrows from each first letter to keys beside or at right angles to each other to spell the rest of the word. The word **trainee** has been done for you. Some keys can be used more than once.



5 ★ Test

Try Out

Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. Working with Words

Write the list word **initial**. _____ Use your dictionary to write words related to **initial**.

at the beginning (adverb) _____

to start something (verb) _____

when someone is initiated into a club (noun) _____

Write **-ation** nouns that are related to these verbs.

civilize _____

organize _____

realize _____

Write **-ly** adverbs that are related to these adjectives.

frequent _____

relative _____

2. Words Ending in **-is**

Put the right list word ending in **-is** in each of these sentences.

When Morag's temperature returned to normal she had passed safely

through a _____ in her illness.

When you emphasize a point you are placing _____ on it.

Hard practice formed the _____ of the hockey team's success.

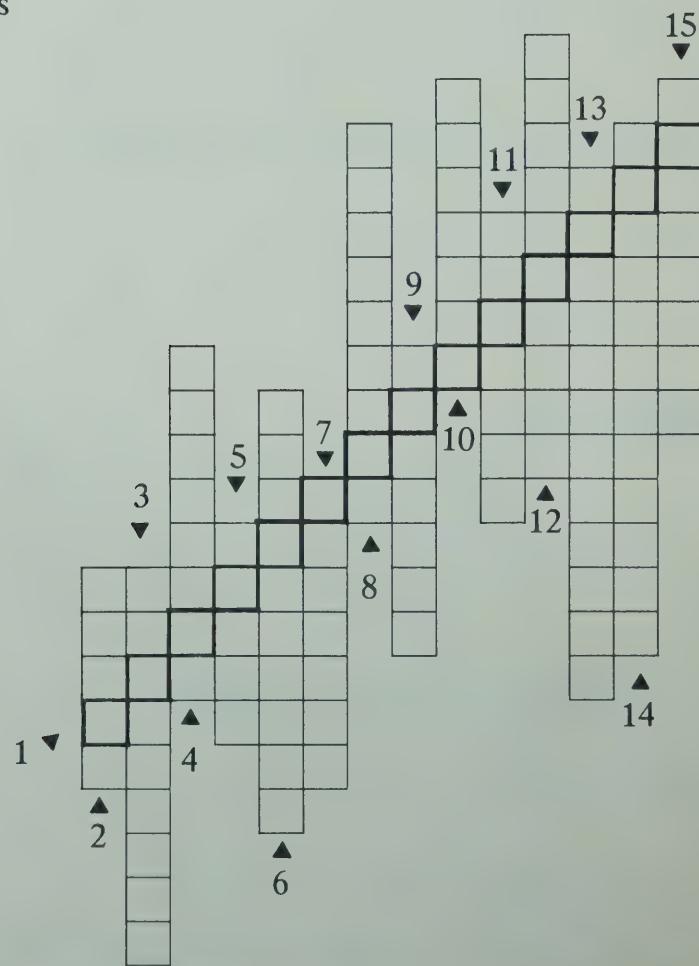
The team's scouts had also made a thorough _____ of their opponent's style of play.

3. A Word Puzzle

In this puzzle clue number 1 is spelled diagonally and the remainder of the odd-numbered clues are spelled downwards. The even-numbered ones are spelled upwards.

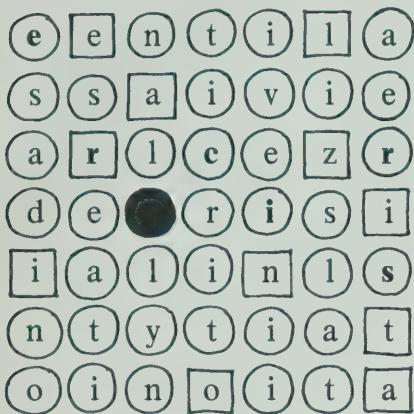
Clues

1. people in charge
 2. foundation; main part
 3. rays of light or heat
 4. stress
 5. a government employee; _____ servant
 6. repeatedly
 7. first letter of your name
 8. necessary
 9. bus or train depot
 10. to understand fully
 11. fact; actuality
 12. comparatively
 13. advanced stage of social development
 14. overall plan
 15. separation into parts



4. A Mystery Word Keyboard Puzzle

All the letters needed to write the list words **essential, civil, realize, crisis, initial, reality, station** and **radiation** are on the keyboard below. The first letter of each word is in heavy type. Draw arrows from each first letter to keys beside or at right angles to each other to spell the rest of the word. Some keys can be used more than once. Put the letters on the square keys together to spell the mystery list word.



The mystery list word is _____.

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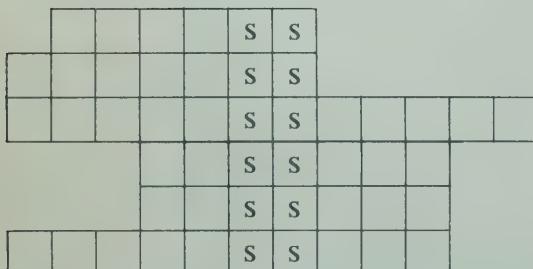
Look and Learn

1. Word Building

Use the clues given to complete the ss chart with list words.

1. The national hockey team was under considerable _____ when it played for Canada.
2. The players all decided to _____ how best to win.
3. All members of the team were _____ hockey players.

4. The Canadian Minister of External Affairs went on a trade _____ to the underdeveloped countries.
5. He will have a _____ with each country's leader.
6. They will have a _____ about the exchange of students.



2. Words at Work

The word ending **-ity** is a noun suffix. Words ending with a silent e generally drop the e before **-ity** is added.

secure **security**

Add **-ity** to each of these words. Underline the list words.

author _____ **humid** _____

national _____ **electric** _____

grave _____ **secure** _____

Can you do these? They change their spelling quite a lot before **-ity** is added. You may want to check the spelling with your dictionary.

curious _____ **capable** _____

vain _____ **visible** _____

able _____ **prosperous** _____

available _____

The word ending **-age** is still another noun suffix. Write the list word

advantage. _____

Watch words that end in y when you add the noun suffix **-age** to them.

marry + age = marriage

Add **-age** to **carry** _____

3. Family Trees

Write the list word **permit**. _____

Write the **-ing** form of **permit**. _____

Write the past tense form of **permit**. _____

Write the list word **travel**. _____

Write the -ing form of **travel**. _____

Write the past tense form of **travel**. _____

Use your dictionary to help you to write words with these meanings:

a license _____

consent (noun) _____

a person who travels _____

an illustrated lecture about travel _____

4. A Syllable Game

Here is a list of syllables in alphabetical order: **a, ad, al, au, bil, cus, dis, fes, i, i, mis, pro, sion, sion, sion, sys, tage, tem, thor, ty, ty, van.**

Use each of these syllables only once and the list clues to help you to spell list words. The number in parentheses tells you the number of syllables in the word you are spelling. Cross out each syllable as you use it.

Clues

skill (4) _____

better chance; superiority (3) _____

legal power (4) _____

argument; debate (3) _____

special duty; purpose (2) _____

adjective form of **profession** (4) _____

a plan or arrangement (2) _____

5. A Mystery Coded Message

Can you break this code? First use the clues to help you to write some of the list words.

Clues

delegation

1	2	3	3	2	4	5

an organized way of doing things

3	6	3	7	8	1

one who plays sports for money

9	10	4	11	8	3	3	2	4	5	12	13

strain

3	7	10	8	3	3

a meeting

3	8	3	3	2	4	5

a superiority; a gain

12	14	15	12	5	7	12	16	8

power; skill

12	17	2	13	2	7	6

to allow; to give leave

9	8	10	1	2	7

to move to distant places

7	10	12	15	8	13

a talk about something

14	2	3	18	19	3	3	2	4	5

safety

3	8	18	19	10	2	7	6

Now can you decipher this mystery coded message?

1	6	3	2	3	7	8	10	4	17	7	12	2	5	8	14

12	9	8	10	1	2	7	7	4	7	10	12	15	8	13

7	4	12	11	4	10	8	2	16	5

18	4	19	5	7	10	6

5 ★ Test

Try Out

Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. Word Building

Build the following set of words, then draw a line from each word to its clue.

— — — — — ary

first

— — — — — ary

not moving

— — — — — ary

modern

— — — — ary

tells word meanings

You may need your dictionary for these two sets. The first set is related to the verb **consider** and the second to the verb **compare**. Each clue belongs with the word you will write beside it.

— — — — — (verb)

to think about

— — — — — (verb)

-ing form of **consider**

— — — — — (adjective)

considering the
feelings of others

— — — — — (noun)

thoughtfulness

— — — — — (verb)

to note likenesses
and differences

— — — — — (verb)

-ing form of **compare**

— — — — — (noun)

a likeness or difference

— — — — — (adjective)

able to be compared

2. Derivation of Words

Below you will find the **Latin roots** and their meanings together with the prefixes from which some of your list words are made. Write the list words.

com + parare (to bring together) _____

con + siderare (to examine closely) _____

dictio (saying) _____

con + temporarius (belonging to time) _____

stationarius (not moving) _____

3. Words at Work

Write the two list words formed by adding the noun suffix **-or** to the verbs **govern** and **profess**.

Write the three list words formed by adding the adjective suffix **-ial** to the nouns **finance** and **commerce**.

4. Word Relationships

Use list words to complete these statements.

Moving is to **active** as **motionless** is to _____.

Outside is to **exterior** as **inside** is to _____.

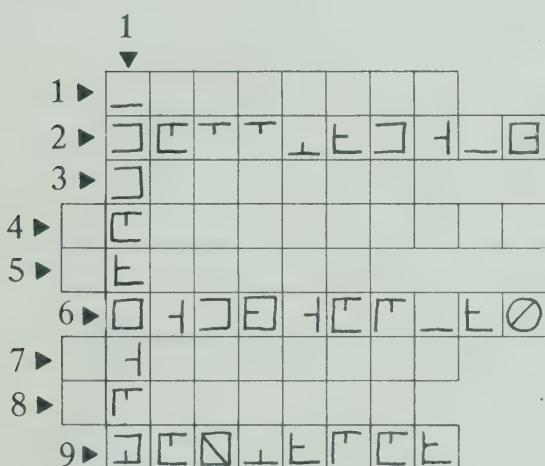
Cheating is to **shame** as **honesty** is to _____.

5. A Coded Word Puzzle

Use the code on page 8 to help you to spell the list word in 1 down, and in 2, 6 and 9 across. Then use the across clues to help you spell out the rest of the list words in the puzzle.

Across

1. the way you feel about something
3. show how things are alike
4. to be thinking about
5. the first grades in a school
7. having to do with money
8. inside



5 ★ Test

Try Out

Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. Some New Words

Add **-ion** to these words to form new words ending in **-ction**. Draw lines between each new word and its definition.

detect + ion = _____

Electricians do it.

eject + ion = _____

Germs do it.

contract + ion = _____

Detectives do it.

product + ion = _____

Helmets do it.

connect + ion = _____

Jet pilots do it.

infect + ion = _____

Factory workers do it.

protect + ion = _____

Apostrophes do it.

Now do the same thing with these new **-ance** words.

resist + ance = _____

A crowd gives it.

attend + ance = _____

Vaccination gives it.

allow + ance = _____

Make-up gives it.

appear + ance = _____

Parents give it.

Now make new **-ish** words that can do the following.

This **-ish** can hurt. _____ ish

This **-ish** can disappear. _____ ish

This **-ish** will amaze you. _____ ish

This **-ish** gives a good shine. _____ ish

2. The Difficult Ones

Write each of these sets of words and underline any letters that make the words difficult for you to spell.

protection

perfection

construction

ancient

sufficient

efficient

instance

performance

circumstance

3. The Right Endings

Add either **-ance** or **-ient** to make complete list words.

anc _____ **circumst** _____ s

inst _____ **suffic** _____

pat _____ **perform** _____

4. Working with Words

Put these words under the right heading: **publish, establish, leadership, scene, performances.**

Nouns

Verbs

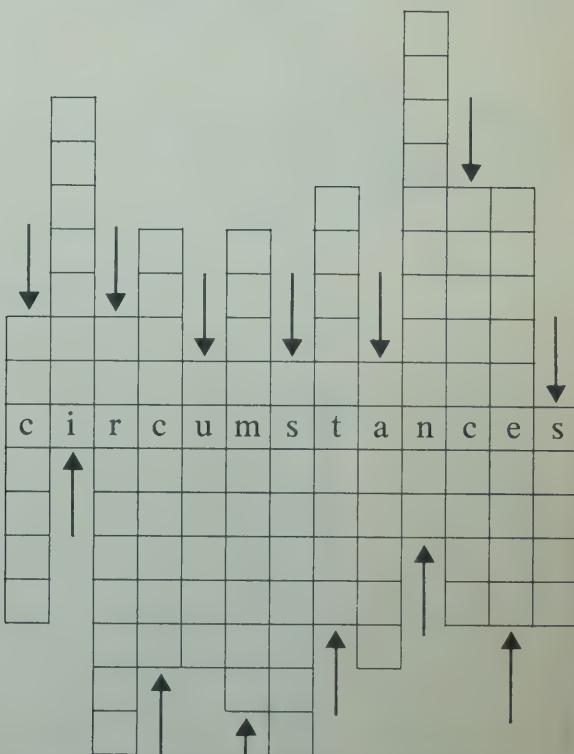
5. Find the Words

There are fourteen words hidden in this puzzle, two of them twice. Draw lines around each word.

p	r	o	t	e	c	t	i	o	n	l
e	e	s	t	a	b	l	i	s	h	e
r	p	c	s	s	o	l	d	i	e	r
f	a	e	f	a	s	h	i	o	n	d
e	t	n	s	s	o	l	d	i	e	r
c	i	e	p	e	r	f	o	r	m	r
t	e	s	t	a	b	l	i	s	h	s
i	n	c	o	n	s	t	a	n	t	h
o	t	k	a	n	c	i	e	n	t	i
n	p	u	b	l	i	s	h	p	d	p
l	j	n	i	n	s	t	a	n	c	e

6. An Up and Down Word Puzzle

Each of these words—**instance, constantly, leadership, construction, performance, sufficient**—will fit upwards, using one of the letters in **circumstances**. Each of these words will fit downwards: **ancient, scene, perfection, establish, publish, fashion, protection**. Use the squares and the arrows to help you fit these words in the puzzle.



5 ★ Test

Try Out

Practice Page

Look and Learn

1. Word Patterns—Something Old, Something New

Write this pattern of words.

divide

divided

division

Follow this pattern to put the right spelling in the spaces below.

provide

concluded

decision

collided

Write the remaining noun list words ending in **-sion**.

Write the adverb form of one of these words. _____

Here are some **ss** words that follow somewhat the same pattern.
Your dictionary will help you here, too.

express

depressed

impression

progress

discussed

Here are some words not on list F-27 where only the noun form ends in **-ssion**. Use your dictionary here, too.

permit

commission

transmitted

2. Words in Context

Fill in the blanks with words ending in **-ence**.

The things that **defend** us are our
s.

If you are **present**, make your known.

An **influential** person has a lot of .

It is an **independent** country, but it took a long time to gain

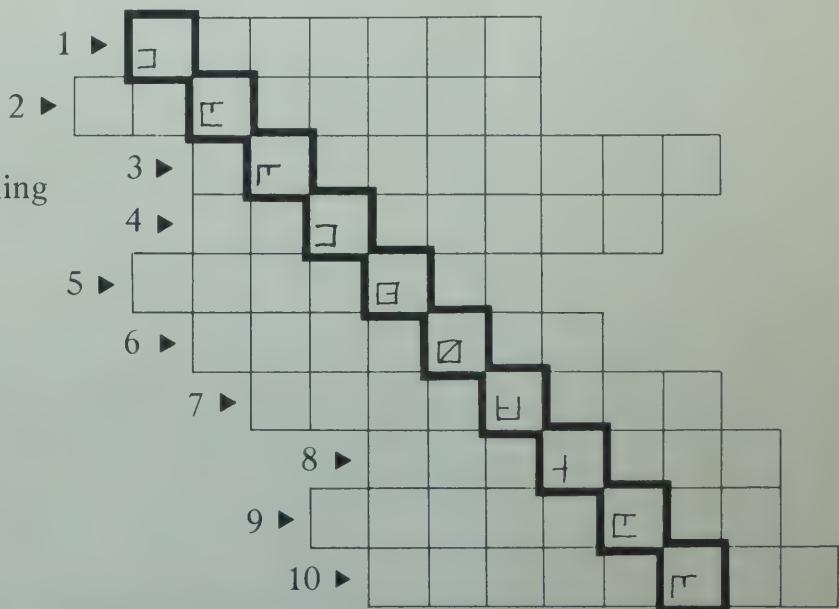
its _____.

3. Another Coded Word Puzzle

Use the code on page 8 to help you to spell the word within the diagonal lines. Then use the across synonym clues to help you spell the list words in the rest of the puzzle.

ACROSS

1. inhabitant
 2. supplied
 3. power
 4. opportunity; a happening
 5. complicated
 6. 100 years
 7. arithmetic process
 8. separated
 9. strain
 10. attendance



4. Noun and Verb Forms Ending with -ence

Which list word is

the noun form of the verb **defend**? _____

spelled the same in both its noun and

verb forms? _____

in the noun form and is the

antonym of **absence**? _____

the noun form of the adjective

independent? _____

5. A Final Fling at Proofreading

Fill in the blanks with list words but don't look at your list. When you have finished, check the spelling of the words with your list. If your spelling of any word is wrong, draw a line through it and write the correct spelling above it.

August 15, 1980, is a date in the twentieth _____.

In 1976 the United States celebrated 200 years of _____ from British rule.

We have been unable to piece together that very _____ jig-saw puzzle.

The grade seven class put on its play in the school _____.

The judge decided that the person on trial had tried to _____ a government official by bribery.

The old couple's sixtieth wedding anniversary was a very special
_____.

All schools go on vacation at the _____ of the school year.

I tightened the bolt to increase the _____ on the spring.

When we met the prime minister we knew we were in the _____ of an important person.

The lawyer thought that a plea of not guilty because of insanity would be the best _____ for his client.

6. A Thesaurus Puzzle

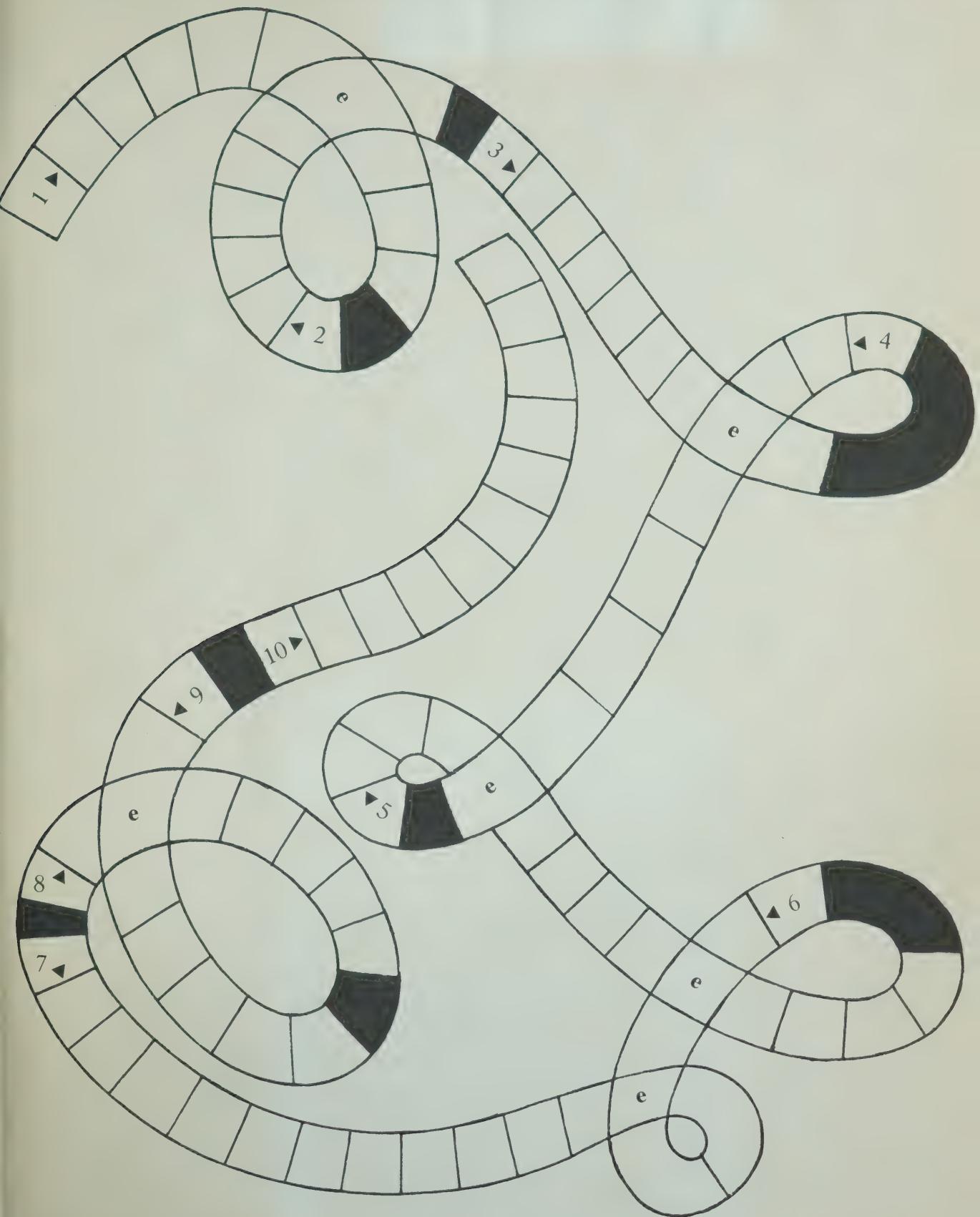
The letter **e** is the key to this puzzle. Use the synonym clues, which are taken from a thesaurus, to help you spell out the right list word after each number. The words begin at each number and go in the direction of the arrow.

Synonym Clues

1. power; force; authority
2. civilian; subject; inhabitant
3. furnished; supplied; stocked
4. attendance; whereabouts; existence
5. separately; freely; apart
6. protection; excuse; justification
7. self-government; freedom; autonomy
8. 100 years
9. strain; stress; tightness
10. assembly room; theatre; playhouse.

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5 ★ Test

★ Track

- All right = 5  s
- One mistake = 4  s
- Two mistakes = 3  s

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F-27					

Three mistakes = 2  s

Four mistakes = 1 ★

Banana-Skin Words

Everyone slips on some words.
Write any words you slipped on
in the Five ★ Test.

DATE DUE SLIP

DUE
EDUC FEB 1 '84
JAN 27 RETURN

DUE
EDUC FEB 7 '84

DUE
EDUC FEB 14 '84

DUE EDUC FEB 21 '84

DUE EDUC FEB 28 '84

DUE MAR 6 '84

DUE EDUC MAR 13 '84

DUE EDUC MAR 20 '84

MAR 21 RETURN

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